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For: PATHOGENICITY DETERMINANTS WHICH CAN BE USED AS TARGETS FOR
DEVELOPING MEANS FOR PREVENTING AND CONTROLLING BACTERIAL
INFECTIONS AND/OR SYSTEMIC DISSEMINATION

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AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Official Action dated December 28, 2005, entry and
consideration of the following amendments and remarks are requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
page 2.

Remarks begin on page 6.